

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A storage system has an RMI interface for managing a storage. In starting an access, a WWW server distributes a storage manager program including a certification function to a WWW browser of a manager. After a manager certification by using a registered manager information file, an RMI management object dynamically creates a certification key unique to the manager and an RMI interface having a limited function corresponding to the certification key, and transmits the certification key to a storage management program of the manager. A certified manager is allowed to imitatively use the RMI interface in accordance with the certification key.